

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

Sircar et al.

Appl. No.

10/661,296

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For

PHENYL-AZA-

BENZIMIDAZOLE **COMPOUNDS FOR**

MODULATING IgE AND INHIBITING CELLULAR

PROLIFERATION

Examiner

Shaojia A. Jiang

Group Art Unit

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed on September 14, 2006, Applicants elect Group I for prosecution in the present application. Applicants make the present election without Preliminary to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified traverse. application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 40 of this paper.